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Docket Management System
U. S. Department of Transportation
Docket No. FAA-2001-10047
Room Plaza 401
400 Seventh Street, SW
Washington, DC 20590-0001

RE: DOCKET NO. FAA-2001-10047; 14 CFR PARTS 13, 61, 91, ET AL. REGULATION OF FRACTIONAL AIRCRAFT PROGRAMS AND ON-DEMAND OPERATIONS; PROPOSED RULE

The National Air Transportation Association (NATA) represents the interests of aviation service businesses nationwide, including companies providing fractional ownership program management under Part 91 and ondemand air charter services under Part 135.

As a member of the Fractional Ownership Aviation Rulemaking Committee, NATA was an active participant in the development of the regulatory proposal submitted to the FAA that provided the foundation for the current Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM).

Since the tragic events of September 11, 2001, the full resources of the aviation community have been focused on working to help our industry to recover from these attacks, comply with flight restrictions and address security concerns.

Therefore, in order to provide NATA and other interested parties the ability to submit comprehensive comments on the fractional ownership NPRM, NATA requests a 30-day extension of this comment period.

Sincerely,

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